

the reconvened deposition. A deponent who refuses to answer a question after being directed to answer by the chair may be subject to sanction, except that no sanctions may be imposed if the ruling of the chair is reversed by the committee on appeal.

8. The Committee chair shall ensure that the testimony is either transcribed or electronically recorded or both. If a witness's testimony is transcribed, the witness or the witness's counsel shall be afforded an opportunity to review a copy. No later than five days after the witness has been notified of the opportunity to review the transcript, the witness may submit suggested changes to the chair. Committee staff may make any typographical and technical changes. Substantive changes, modifications, clarifications, or amendments to the deposition transcript submitted by the witness must be accompanied by a letter signed by the witness requesting the changes and a statement of the witness's reasons for each proposed change. Any substantive changes, modifications, clarifications, or amendments shall be included as an appendix to the transcript conditioned upon the witness signing the transcript.

9. The individual administering the oath, if other than a member, shall certify on the transcript that the witness was duly sworn. The transcriber shall certify that the transcript is a true record of the testimony, and the transcript shall be filed, together with any electronic recording, with the clerk of the committee in Washington, DC. Depositions shall be considered to have been taken in Washington, DC, as well as the location actually taken once filed there with the clerk of the committee for the committee's use. The chair and the ranking minority member shall be provided with a copy of the transcripts of the deposition at the same time.

10. The chair and ranking minority member shall consult regarding the release of deposition testimony, transcripts, or recordings, and portions thereof. If either objects in writing to a proposed release of a deposition testimony, transcript, or recording, or a portion thereof, the matter shall be promptly referred to the committee for resolution.

11. A witness shall not be required to testify unless the witness has been provided with a copy of section 103(a) of H. Res. 6, 116th Congress, and these regulations.

#### ADJOURNMENT

Mrs. LOWEY. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 7 p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Monday, January 28, 2019, at noon for morning-hour debate.

#### RULES AND REPORTS SUBMITTED PURSUANT TO THE CONGRESSIONAL REVIEW ACT

Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(d), executive communications [final rules] submitted to the House pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1) during the period of August 7, 2018 through January 3, 2019, shall be treated as though received on January 25, 2019. Original dates of transmittal, numberings, and referrals to committee of those executive communications remain as indicated in the Executive Communication section of the relevant CONGRESSIONAL RECORD.

#### EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

59. Under clause 2 of rule XIV, letter from the Senior Counsel, Legal Division, Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection, transmitting the Bureau's Major final policy guidance — Disclosure of Loan-Level HMDA Data [Docket No.: CFPB-2017-0025] received January 24, 2019, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868), was taken from the Speaker's table, referred to the Committee on Financial Services.

#### PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. CONNOLLY (for himself, Mr. HOYER, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. TRONE, Mr. RASKIN, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. BEYER, Ms. WEXTON, Mr. BROWN of Maryland, and Ms. NORTON):

H.R. 790. A bill to provide for a pay increase in 2019 for certain civilian employees of the Federal Government, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

By Mr. BALDERSON:

H.R. 791. A bill to amend title 31, United States Code, to provide for automatic continuing resolutions; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Ms. BONAMICI (for herself and Mr. KILMER):

H.R. 792. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to reauthorize the Federal work-study program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. BUCK:

H.R. 793. A bill to prohibit the use of funds for the official travel of Members of Congress during any period in which a Government shutdown is in effect; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. CLAY:

H.R. 794. A bill to amend title 13, United States Code, to provide that individuals in prison shall, for the purposes of a decennial census, be attributed to the last place of residence before incarceration, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

By Mrs. DINGELL:

H.R. 795. A bill to require the Secretary of Transportation to conduct a study on the economic and environmental risks to the Great Lakes of spills or leaks of oil, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. GRAVES of Louisiana (for himself and Mr. LAMALFA):

H.R. 796. A bill to provide appropriations to secure the southern border of the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations, and in addition to the Committees on Education and Labor, the Judiciary, Homeland Security, Agriculture, Ways and Means, and Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. GROTHMAN (for himself and Mr. LOEBSACK):

H.R. 797. A bill to amend title 31, United States Code, to provide for automatic con-

tinuing resolutions; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. HIGGINS of Louisiana:

H.R. 798. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to make the exception for returning workers permanent, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MEEKS (for himself, Mr. BEYER, Ms. NORTON, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. RYAN, Mr. BROWN of Maryland, Mr. VARGAS, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. DESAULNIER, Mr. HECK, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. QUIGLEY, and Mr. PERLMUTTER):

H.R. 799. A bill to amend the Fair Credit Reporting Act to prohibit certain persons from furnishing negative credit information of furloughed employees, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. MEEKS (for himself, Ms. NORTON, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. RYAN, Mr. BROWN of Maryland, Mr. VARGAS, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. DESAULNIER, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. SIREN, Mr. QUIGLEY, and Mr. PERLMUTTER):

H.R. 800. A bill to amend the Community Reinvestment Act of 1977 to provide financial institutions with credit for providing assistance during Government shutdowns; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. RYAN (for himself and Mr. PALAZZO):

H.R. 801. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow for a credit against tax for employers of reservists; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. SCHAKOWSKY (for herself, Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania, and Mr. VEASEY):

H.R. 802. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a tax credit to Patriot employers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. WELCH (for himself, Mr. GRIF-FITH, Mr. CARTER of Georgia, Mrs. RODGERS of Washington, and Mr. COLLINS of Georgia):

H.R. 803. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to prohibit prescription drug plan sponsors and MA-PD organizations under the Medicare program from retroactively reducing payment on clean claims submitted by pharmacies; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. WATERS:

H. Res. 77. A resolution expressing the sense of Congress that financial institutions and other companies should work proactively with their customers affected by the shutdown of the Federal Government who may be facing short-term financial hardship and long-term damage to their creditworthiness through no fault of their own; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. AMODEI:

H. Res. 78. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the United States postal facility network is an asset of significant value and the United States Postal Service should take appropriate measures to maintain, modernize and fully utilize the existing post office network for economic growth; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

# CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. CONNOLLY:

H.R. 790.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, clause 18

By Mr. BALDERSON:

H.R. 791.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section V

and

Article I, Section VIII

By Ms. BONAMICI:

H.R. 792.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8

By Mr. BUCK:

H.R. 793.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. CLAY:

H.R. 794.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I—Section II, Section XIII

By Mrs. DINGELL:

H.R. 795.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The constitutional authority of Congress to enact this legislation is provided by Article I, section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. GRAVES of Louisiana:

H.R. 796.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution, specifically Clause 1 (relating to providing for the common defense and general welfare of the United States) and Clause 18 (relating to the power to make all laws necessary and proper for carrying out the powers vested in Congress).

By Mr. GROTHMAN:

H.R. 797.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 9, Clause 7 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. HIGGINS of Louisiana:

H.R. 798.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Clause 18 of Section 8 of Article 1 of the Constitution.

By Mr. MEEKS:

H.R. 799.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Commerce Clause

By Mr. MEEKS:

H.R. 800.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Commerce Clause

By Mr. RYAN:

H.R. 801.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

"The Congress enacts this bill pursuant to Clause 6 of Section 8 of Article I of the United States Constitution."

By Ms. SCHAKOWSKY:

H.R. 802.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3

The Congress shall have Power . . . To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes.

By Mr. WELCH:

H.R. 803.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18: The Congress shall have Power To . . . make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

## ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions, as follows:

H.R. 8: Mrs. FLETCHER and Mr. SABLON.

H.R. 51: Mr. GARAMENDI, Mrs. LEE of Nevada, and Ms. HOULAHAN.

H.R. 67: Ms. ADAMS and Mr. HORSFORD.

H.R. 92: Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.

H.R. 141: Ms. KELLY of Illinois and Mr. VIS-CLOSKY.

H.R. 195: Mr. KILMER and Mr. ARMSTRONG.

H.R. 276: Mr. GRIJALVA.

H.R. 281: Ms. ADAMS, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mrs. DEMINGS, Ms. BASS, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. EVANS, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. CLEAVER, Ms. FUDGE, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mrs. HAYES, Mr. LAWSON of Florida, Mr. NEGUSE, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Mr. LEWIS, Mr. VEASEY, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. MCEACHIN, Ms. PLASKETT, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Mrs. LAWRENCE, Ms. MOORE, Mr. RICHMOND, and Mr. SCOTT of Virginia.

H.R. 479: Mr. ADERHOLT.

H.R. 504: Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. SMUCKER, Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. HURD of Texas, Mr. BOST, Mr. NEWHOUSE, and Mr. RICE of South Carolina.

H.R. 510: Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.

H.R. 511: Mr. CUMMINGS.

H.R. 535: Mr. PAPPAS.

H.R. 545: Ms. KUSTER of New Hampshire, Ms. WILD, and Mr. CLAY.

H.R. 553: Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Mr. POCAN, Ms. BONAMICI, Mr. MOOLENAAR, and Mrs. RODGERS of Washington.

H.R. 554: Mr. CURTIS and Mrs. TORRES of California.

H.R. 557: Mr. TAKANO and Ms. ESCOBAR.

H.R. 587: Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. RYAN, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. BASS, Mr. FLEISCHMANN, Mr. CLOUD, Mr. WEBSTER of

Florida, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, and Ms. BONAMICI.

H.R. 588: Ms. TLAIB, Ms. BLUNT ROCHESTER, Mr. POCAN, Mr. WELCH, Mr. RUIZ, Ms. SCHRIER, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. HORSFORD, Mr. AGUILAR, and Ms. PRESSLEY.

H.R. 596: Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania, Mr. AUSTIN SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. COOK, Mr. QUIGLEY, Mr. KINZINGER, and Mr. PASCRELL.

H.R. 598: Mr. ROONEY of Florida, Mr. FITZPATRICK, and Mr. WILSON of South Carolina.

H.R. 622: Mr. BALDERSON and Miss GONZÁLEZ-COLÓN of Puerto Rico.

H.R. 644: Mr. STEWART and Mr. CURTIS.

H.R. 647: Ms. KUSTER of New Hampshire, Mr. SCHRADER, Mr. COHEN, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. JOYCE of Ohio, and Mr. KENNEDY.

H.R. 686: Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. HIMES.

H.R. 705: Miss GONZÁLEZ-COLÓN of Puerto Rico.

H.R. 712: Mr. COHEN, Mr. CARBAJAL, Mr. GAETZ, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. DEFazio, Ms. BROWNLEY of California, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. TAKANO, Ms. NORTON, Mr. JONES, Mr. POCAN, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. YOUNG, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. KHANNA, and Ms. TITUS.

H.R. 720: Ms. KUSTER of New Hampshire, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. SARBANES, Ms. MCCOLLUM, and Mr. PAPPAS.

H.R. 736: Mr. FITZPATRICK.

H.R. 739: Mr. CHABOT, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. TED LIEU of California, Mr. YOHO, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mrs. WAGNER, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. ROONEY of Florida, Mrs. MURPHY, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. CURTIS, and Mr. RESCHENTHALER.

H.R. 744: Mr. UPTON.

H.R. 748: Mr. GIANFORTE, Mr. BIGGS, Mr. DAVID P. ROE of Tennessee, Ms. NORTON, Mr. LIPINSKI, Miss RICE of New York, Mr. NADLER, Mr. BOST, Mrs. DEMINGS, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. DESJARLAIS, Mr. HICE of Georgia, Mr. WESTERMAN, Mr. HOLDING, Ms. BONAMICI, Mrs. DINGELL, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. VISCLOSKY, Mr. BABIN, Mr. POCAN, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. MOULTON, Mr. TAKANO, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. KHANNA, Mr. YOUNG, Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. MASSIE, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. MCKINLEY, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. CALVERT, and Mr. PETERSON.

H.R. 751: Mr. MEUSER.

H.R. 757: Mr. GRIJALVA and Mr. GALLEG0.

H.R. 769: Mr. HIGGINS of New York and Mr. ROSE of New York.

H.J. Res. 2: Mr. PHILLIPS, Ms. SLOTKIN, Mr. GOLDEN, and Mr. RUIZ.

H.J. Res. 20: Mr. RESCHENTHALER.

H. Res. 12: Miss GONZÁLEZ-COLÓN of Puerto Rico.

H. Res. 33: Mr. PERLMUTTER.

H. Res. 39: Mrs. AXNE, Mr. GREEN of Tennessee, and Mr. GALLAGHER.

H. Res. 54: Ms. MOORE, Ms. FRANKEL, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Miss RICE of New York, Mr. HIGGINS of New York, Mr. BRINDISI, Mr. PERLMUTTER, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. VELA, Mr. KHANNA, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Mr. WELCH, Mrs. TORRES of California, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. POCAN, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. CARTWRIGHT, Mrs. DINGELL, Ms. ESHOO, and Mr. LYNCH.